

MILITARY STEAL SETTLED

The Money Stolen From the State has Been Paid Over.

GEN. WHITE EXPECTED HOME.

A Detroit Fireman Sacrificed His Life While Performing His Duty—Speed and Pope Were Fined \$250 and \$200 Respectively—Brunn Convicted.

Schools and Pupils in Michigan.

In his annual report for the fiscal year ending June 30 last, W. T. Harris, the commissioner of education, states that the school property in the state of Michigan at the close of the school year, 1898-99, was \$19,746,443 and that the amount raised by state and local taxation for the support of these schools was \$5,640,517.

The report shows that there were 498,665 pupils enrolled in the elementary and secondary common schools in the state, which was 21.81 per cent of the estimated population. The average daily attendance was 350,000. There were 3,471 male teachers in these schools, whose average monthly salaries were \$44.80, and 15,093 female teachers, whose salaries averaged \$35.33 per month. The total expenditures for the schools, including sites, buildings, etc., salaries and other expenditures and excluding payment of bonds, was \$5,853,369, an average daily expenditure of 10.4 cents for each pupil.

A table devoted to city schools show that there are 29 systems in the state. The total expenditures for these schools was \$2,589,715. The total enrollment in the city schools was 136,332 pupils and the average daily attendance was 100,012. The teachers in the city schools numbered 233 males and 2,712 females. There were 12 schools devoted to theology, law and medicine, with 1,919 students.

Supreme Court Will Decide.

Recently some of the assessing officers of the state have refused to use the valuations fixed by the state tax commission as a basis for levying the state and county taxes, basing their refusal on section 39 of the general tax law, which provides that the valuation fixed by the board of review shall be taken as the basis for the tax. The tax commission claims that under section 152 of the amendment of the tax law passed at the legislative session of 1899 authority was given to the tax commission to review the rolls and to have the valuation fixed by the board taken as the basis for the tax. It was decided several days ago to bring these provisions of law before the supreme court for its construction, and at a meeting of the tax commission and Atty.-Gen. Oren, papers were prepared for a case to be commenced against the assessing officers at Ishpeming. The court will be asked for a mandamus to compel the assessing officers to make use of the valuations fixed by the tax commission as a basis for the December taxes, and the question will then come squarely before the court.

Salt Trust to Test the Law.

Some months ago the National Salt Co. commenced doing business in Michigan and paid the secretary of state the required franchise fee on its capital stock. Acting on the advice of its Michigan attorney, Benton Hanchett, of Saginaw, the company refused to file articles of association with the secretary of state, and has also refused to appoint a Michigan agent on whom process may be served, or file with the secretary of state annual reports setting forth their financial condition, etc. This is the first time a corporation has taken this stand in Michigan, and the question involved is considered by the authorities to be of the highest importance.

One Killed and Four Injured.

Almost before the echoes of the fatal Jefferson avenue fire of a week or so ago had died away, and while some of the victims of the first fire are still confined in hospitals, Detroit was visited by another fatal fire on the night of the 25th, the killed and injured this time being picked from the plucky firemen who were just carrying their lines of hose up two ladders that had been erected against a brick wall, which collapsed and fell out upon them. One of the victims had his skull crushed and died upon reaching the hospital, while four comrades were quite severely injured.

Speed and Pope Found Guilty.

Judge West made short work of Judge John J. Speed and Capt. H. H. Pope, the attorneys who dramatically announced their withdrawal from the defense of Gen. Arthur F. Marsh last March, when the court denied their motion for a continuance, after they appeared in court on the afternoon of the 25th, and his remarks to them will make very interesting reading for both lawyers and laymen. Speed was fined \$250 or 30 days in jail, and Pope was fined \$200 or 20 days in jail. The supreme court refused to interfere.

Carsonville now has a brass band.

The amount of taxes to be raised in Calhoun county this year aggregate \$120,481.38, or \$35,112.54 less than last year.

Mrs. Geo. Schutt, of Hesperia, picked ripe strawberries on Oct. 21, and the vines were loaded with blossoms and fruit.

Typhoid fever is epidemic in Sumpster township, Wayne county. One death has been reported and several cases are critical.

Sixteen men look out their naturalization papers in the circuit court at Pontiac on the 23d, 11 of whom were from Farmington.

The Governor's Proclamation.

A proclamation has been issued by Gov. Pingree, calling voters' attention to the constitutional amendments, as follows:

To the People of the State of Michigan: On Nov. 6 there will be handed to all voters by the election inspectors two ballots. One of these ballots will contain the names of party candidates for presidential electors, governor, state and local officers. The other ballot is to be used in voting upon amendments to the constitution of the state relative to taxation of corporations. These amendments are submitted to you by the action of the legislature which met in special session on October 10.

I desire to call your attention to these constitutional amendments and to urge the importance of your voting upon them. If adopted they will change the constitution so that the legislature may provide for the assessment and taxation of the property of corporations at its true cash value, thus bringing about equal taxation.

Under present provisions of the constitution it is impossible to frame a practical law for the taxation upon cash value of the property of certain corporations now paying specific taxes upon earnings. Among these corporations are railroad, telegraph, telephone and express companies. All other corporations and persons now pay taxes based upon the cash value of their property. These amendments, if adopted by you, will make it possible to tax all alike. In other words they are equal taxation amendments.

Under the joint resolution submitting these amendments to you at the coming election it is: First, the duty of the election inspectors to furnish each voter with a copy of the constitutional amendment ballot, and to inform him of the nature and purpose of the amendment; second, the duty of each voter to hand the ballot, after he has voted on it, to the election inspector; third, the duty of the inspector to place the ballot in the box.

There can be nothing more important than a full explanation by the people upon a proposition to change the fundamental law of the state.

I therefore urge upon the people of the state the necessity of voting at the coming general election upon the constitutional amendments relative to the taxation of corporations.

HAZEN S. PINGREE, Governor.

Absconding Quartermaster to Return.

After being a fugitive from justice for nearly a year Gen. W. L. White, the absconding ex-quartermaster-general of the Michigan National Guard, who was indicted by the Ingham county grand jury, will return and surrender himself within the next three weeks. His return is the result of a carefully mapped out plan which will include a plea of guilty on White's part and also the return to the state treasury of the money the state was mulcted out of by the famous military deal, estimated at \$45,000. The Fidelity Surety Co., of Baltimore, which was on White's bond for \$50,000, has been reimbursed by his friends and the Henderson-Ames to the extent of \$43,000, which will soon be turned over to the state.

Later—On the afternoon of the 24th White's attorneys called at the solicitors' office for the surety company, in Detroit, and paid over \$33,000, which represents the balance of the military deal with interest to date, due the state.

Murder in the Second Degree.

The jury in the Jas. H. Brumm case on the night of the 26th, after being out over four hours, returned a verdict that the respondent was guilty of murder in the second degree. He was charged with the murder of Mollie Flagler, of Diamond Lake. The prisoner was indifferent and expressed himself as being glad it was all over.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

A new hotel is being erected at Appleton.

Marshall adopted standard time on the 29th.

Morenci will have rural free mail delivery Nov. 1.

Ashley was scorched to the extent of \$15,000 on the 23d.

Marshall will adopt standard time on and after the 28th.

Oakland county's equalized taxation is placed at \$15,740,583.

Port Austin is to have electric lights and a water works system.

Corunna is to have rural free mail delivery on and after Nov. 1.

The Macabees of Battle Creek dedicated their new hall on the 23d.

There is strong talk of a gas plant being established in Carsonville.

Cheaning, Manchester and Vassar now have rural free mail delivery.

Saranac has a new bank—the Saranac State bank, capitalized at \$30,000.

The subject of a new town hall and opera house is being agitated at Imlay City.

An attempt is being made to organize the electricians of Port Huron into a union.

There is some talk of extending the South Haven & Eastern railroad as far as Saugatuck.

There is a boycott on the Port Huron opera house—non-union musicians are employed.

The equalized valuation of Bay County as fixed by the board of supervisors is \$22,063,410.

L. P. Saxton & Sons' big sawmills at Pomona burned on the 23d. Loss, \$15,000; insurance, \$8,000.

A car famine prevails at Brighton and farmers are unable to move produce, notably potatoes.

The First National bank of Petoskey, with a capital of \$80,000, has been authorized to begin business.

According to the 1900 census Jackson has a population of 25,180, as compared with 20,798 four years ago.

The Grass Lake Creamery company declared a 7 per cent premium at the directors' meeting recently. This is the first dividend since the fire of two years ago. The machinery and repairs are all paid for, and hereafter with fair success a semi-annual dividend will be forthcoming.

Owing to several outbreaks of smallpox in the upper peninsula, the state board of health has recommended general vaccination in the counties where these outbreaks have occurred. The law authorized the local boards of health to offer free vaccination to those unable to pay for it.

The saloon-keepers of Port Huron have organized an association and will "buck" the ice trust in that city.

A futile attempt was made at wrecking an east-bound express on the C. & G. T. Ry. at Capre the other night.

A white woodchuck is on exhibition in one of the show windows at Eaton Rapids—it is truly a freak of nature.

The voters of St. Clair county will have abundance of material to vote for this fall, as there will be seven distinct tickets on their ballot.

The McMorran Milling Co., of Port Huron, which lost its entire plant by fire several weeks ago, has started another split pea mill in that city.

Midland county farmers complain that never before within their recollection have they lost such a large portion of their apple crop through heavy winds.

Upon the next legislature of this state will fall the important task of re-apportioning the congressional and legislative districts, according to the new census.

The village of Tekonsha closed the season with 100 rods of new cement sidewalk built in the streets and about half as much more built on private premises since May.

Chas. Lewis, a Gobleville boy now in the Philippines, recently wrote to his father to send him some newspapers that he might learn the nominees for President this fall.

The Adrian police are looking for a "Jack-the-Grabber," who darts from behind trees and bushes in the darkness and squeezes women. Three such cases were reported recently.

The Plymouth Improvement company, organized with a paid-up \$40,000 stock, is preparing to build six new houses the coming summer. Plymouth now wants a doctor and a butcher shop.

Leslie ladies are bound not to be behind their husbands and have a gun club of their own, and they do say that some of the scores they can make can be favorably compared with those of the men folks.

One hundred men quit the Dead River Mill Co.'s lumbering camps near Ishpeming on the 23d, because only \$20 per month was offered in wages. The prevailing wage is \$32, and there is a large demand for men.

Attorney Wm. Look, of Detroit, found guilty of misconduct in handling the estates of several Detroit parties, was on the 24th suspended from the practice of his profession for the period of two years from Nov. 1.

According to a recent report made by the St. Joseph council finance committee the municipal water works has been running behind at a rate of \$1,000 per month. Interesting developments may be expected in the near future.

The postoffice department at Washington is figuring out a scheme to establish receiving and delivering stations for the handling of registered mail matter in hotels. The scheme has been tried in Detroit and has proved successful.

Two Detroit, Rochester, Romeo & Lake Orion cars collided in a fog south of Washington, on the 25th, and Mortimer Frank W. Griffith, who disobeyed orders, died under the surgeon's knife at Rochester shortly after the accident.

Farmers in the vicinity of Willow say this is one of the most phenomenal falls that has been known. Vegetables, vines and pasture fields are greener than in the summer months. There has been no frost yet to damage anything.

At a special election held at Allegan on the 23d, to bond the village for \$8,000 for a public park, the vote stood 579 yeas, 68 no. The park will be leased to the F. & P. M. Ry. Co. for 99 years in order to bring the depot down into the village.

A large number of Clinton county farmers have posted signs all over their farms prohibiting city hunters, on the premises. As one of them expressed it, they cannot afford to raise sheep and cattle for city chaps to practice on with their guns.

Plymouth is to have a large auditorium, which will be erected by a stock company composed of local business men. It is expected the building will be completed by Thanksgiving day, so that a large reception can be held on that day.

The board of public works of Grand Rapids has discovered that a number of factories have been using city water without paying for it by the use of illegal taps. Proceedings will undoubtedly be brought against the concerns if they do not settle.

There is considerable dissatisfaction along the Thumb division of the F. & P. M. road on account of the company's seeming inability to furnish cars at this time of the year. Hay buyers threaten to draw the hay to lake ports and ship by water. Every available space is packed full and any amount of hay is still to be bought.

The Bay Shore Lumber Co., of Menominee, which has conducted operations in Menominee county for some years past, has purchased more than 100,000,000 feet of standing pine near Ashland, on the line of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railway. It is the company's intention to put 200 or more men to work removing the timber.

Schools and churches at Fairgrove are closed and children quarantined. Diphtheria and typhoid fever are raging in the town and the country, but there are no recent deaths.

The official returns of the registration in all the islands of the territory of Hawaii have been received. Only 11,216 persons registered in the group for the coming election. This is 3,000 less than the registration during the last year under the monarchy. By islands the registration is as follows: Hawaii, 2,717; Maui, 2,038; Oahu, including Honolulu, 5,704; Kauai, 739.

FILIPINOS AGAIN ACTIVE.

They put Up a Desperate Fight on Oct. 24th.

AMERICANS HAD TO RETREAT.

Canada Will Get a Gigantic New Industry in the Shape of a Blast Furnace and Steel Manufacturing Institutions—Other Events of a Week.

Bloody Battles Reported.

While scouting near Loos a detachment of 20th and 28th regiments, under Capt. Belgier, were attacked by 400 insurgents armed with rifles under the command of a white man whose nationality is not known to the Americans. The insurgents for the most part were entrenched. After an heroic fight Capt. Belgier drove off the enemy, killing more than 75. The fight lasted for two hours. Capt. Belgier and three privates were slightly wounded and two of the Americans were killed.

An agreement took place October 24 between detachments of the 3d cavalry and the 33d volunteer infantry, numbering 60, and a force of insurgents, including 400 riflemen and 1,000 bolomen. The fighting was desperate. Finally, under pressure of overwhelming numbers, the Americans were compelled to retire on Narvian. Lieut. George L. Feibiger and four privates were killed, nine were wounded and four are missing. A number of teamsters were captured by the insurgents, but were subsequently released. The enemy's loss is estimated at 150.

A civilian lanch, towing a barge loaded with merchandise, near Arayat, was attacked by a force of 150 insurgents under David Pagin, a deserter from the 24th infantry. The American troops, on hearing the firing, turned out in force before the boat could be looted and recaptured it.

Girl Slain With Knockout Drops.

There is much discussion at Paterson, N. J., as to the relative guilt of the four men, Wm. Death, George Kerr, Andrew Campbell and Walter McAlister, accused of brutally assaulting and murdering Jennie Roschier, the 17-year-old mill girl, who was plied with drinks containing "knockout drops" to enable the men to accomplish their designs. The general opinion is that, while all may be proved technically guilty, greater responsibility for the crime lies with some than with others. McAlister's record, as it has been brought to light since his arrest, is a sinister one. A professional man, who would not permit the use of his name, but who says that what he heard came directly from McAlister himself, tells a new story of the young man which is directly in line with what he did in the case of Jennie Roschier.

Big Industry for Canada.

A company composed almost entirely of Pittsburgh capitalists has been organized to engage in the blast furnace and steel manufacturing institutions on a gigantic scale. The capital of the new corporation is \$10,000,000, and included in the enterprise are the operating of coke ovens, and the mining of coal in the Monongahela valley, with the possible building of a new line of road from the coal and coke works to Lake Erie. The big plants in question will be located at Welland, in Ontario, Canada, which is the town near the entrance to the Welland canal. This is known as the Canadian natural gas belt and any quantity of that fuel is available. The mills will also have the advantage of water power secured from the Niagara river at a point near the great falls.

Wreck and Ruin in Yotham.

As the result of a small fire, several successive explosions of chemicals occurred in the drug store in Yotham, N. Y., on the 29th and blew half a dozen buildings and badly damaged a score of others. The loss of life is not known, but from all sources of information it is gathered that there are perhaps the bodies of 30 persons in the ruins. The disaster was one of the most terrible that had ever occurred in that city, and rivals the Windsor hotel fire in its appalling results, though in loss of property it will be worse. Chief Croker, of the fire department, estimates that the loss is fully \$1,500,000.

Miners Told to go to Work.

All the coal companies in the Wyoming valley, with a few exceptions, resumed work on the 29th. For six weeks the mine workers therein employed have been on strike for an advance in wages, a reduction in the price of powder, and in several districts the abolition of the sliding scale of wages. In a few instances collieries operated by individuals and by companies have failed to resume, but in the main it can be safely said that hard coal is once more being mined.

NEWSY BRIEVITIES.

There is serious trouble in the boot and shoe industry at Quebec, Que., which concerns over 10,000 operatives, and some 30 factories. The trouble arose through the hiring of one union man to take the place of a non-union workman.

Over a score wounded, one fatally, is the result of a conflict between militia and striking mill hands at Valleyfield, Que., on the 25th. A couple of hundred men employed by the Montreal Cotton Co. on the foundation of a new mill went on a strike for an increase of 25 cents a day in wages.

It seems likely, from negotiation which have been taking place lately, that France, Germany and Austria will abolish the sugar bounties if other countries will abolish the import taxes. It is not asked that America should abolish her duties, as she is, relatively, a small importer of sugar.

CHINA WAR NEWS.

Advices from China show that the German troops are suffering in health, and three deaths from disease were reported by cable to Berlin on the 23d.

The minister of finance, M. de Witte, of St. Petersburg, authorizes a denial of the story that Russia began negotiations in New York in the middle of October for a \$50,000,000 loan.

It was authoritatively stated at Washington on the 23d that the U. S. government views with distinct favor the principles enunciated in the Anglo-German agreement relating to China, and that a formal response to that effect will be made at an early day to the invitation extended to this government to accept the principles of the agreement.

Minister Conger has been authorized to begin negotiations at once with the Chinese envoys on the points in the German and French notes on which all of the powers are agreed. It is understood that the ministerial representatives in Peking of the other powers have similar instructions; but whether they have or not, Conger is not to be restrained.

According to official reports, all the cities in the Hui Chow prefecture are still holding out, the rebels confining themselves to capturing villages and slaughtering isolated bodies of imperial troops. The rebels are also actively recruiting and are now estimated to number 10,000. There has been no pitched battle. The Chinese general commanding at Hui Chow is afraid to leave the city for fear of being cut off.

The Chinese imbroglio is in a state of stagnation. Shanghai sends renewed rumors that the court, from Sinan Fu, is sending agents to collect funds in the southern and central provinces. Advices from Pan Ting Fu give harrowing accounts of the sufferings of missionaries at the hands of the boxers; and it is reported that 10 missionaries are still at Heng Ten Fu. The boxers declare that the provincial treasurer has ordered them to kill all foreigners. He allowed 11 Americans and 4 British to be massacred.

The Russian Sappers, who were employed to dig out and destroy mines at Mulden, official dispatches say, found the whole district mined; and it was only the unexpected arrival of the Russians that prevented wholesale destruction. A special commission was appointed to investigate. The advices also say that the provincial treasurer escaped and that the Chinese guerrillas had been looting extensively, their booty including the Manchu throne, extensive libraries, collections of pictures and colossal archaeological objects, all of great value.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

President McKinley issued a commendatory proclamation on the death of John Sherman.

Reliable advices from Copenhagen assert that the sale of the Danish Antilles to the U. S. will soon be effected.

A total of \$20,160,687 worth of gold dust and bullion has been received at the Seattle, Wash., assay office during the present year.

The steamer Morning Star arrived at San Francisco, Cal., on the 23d with 85 passengers and \$1,000,000 worth of gold dust from the mines of Dawson.

Another wreck occurred on the L. S. & M. S. railroad at Chicago on the 23d, and eight persons were injured. A misplaced switch caused the accident.

Will C. Stinson, of Cambridge, Mass., won the world's bicycle record for distance in the even hour, behind pace, on the 25th, riding 40 miles and 330 yards in one hour's time.

Z. T. Lewis, a former banker at Urbana, O., who was convicted several years ago of bond forgery, but pardoned on account of ill health, died at his home in West Union, O., on the 23th.

Germany has agreed to Japan's proposal that the peace negotiations with China shall for the present be entrusted to the foreign representatives in Peking.

According to a St. Petersburg dispatch of the 23d 50 persons were killed and many others terribly scalded by boiler explosions on board the steamer Eugenia, running between Tomska and Baranov.

Winona, Minn., was visited by the worst storm in years on the night of the 27th. All the railroads entering the city suffered considerably by washouts and high water, and lightning did considerable damage in the city.

According to a Brussels telegram dated the 23d, a train was derailed at Le Carosse station and three carriages filled with passengers were precipitated over an embankment 18 metres high. Thirty persons were injured, one seriously.

Lieut. Richard P. Hobson is responsible for the report that Rear-Admiral Sampson is slowly dying at his home in Boston as a result of brooding over the Sampson-Schley controversy which followed the naval engagement at Santiago.

Geo. McCaskill, one of the wealthiest and most prominent planters of Rayville, La., was shot and instantly killed on the 23d by Malcolm McIntosh, a prominent business man. The tragedy is supposed to have grown out of business differences.

News of the result of the first auction of crown claims in the Klondike, Oct. 2, reached Seattle, Wash., on the 24th. Out of 200 claims offered for sale 200 were sold for prices ranging from \$1 to \$1,350, the latter price being paid for a claim on Gay gulch. The sale realized \$19,900. The remainder of 5,000 claims will be offered for sale next month, and if not sold opened for relocation.

Operating under the cloak of agents of the Republican campaign committee, rogues have succeeded in obtaining \$100,000 on forged checks in New York and through the state.

TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

A dispatch from Kian Chau, dated the 25th, says: A detachment of German marines in a battle near Kaumi with Boers killed 200 of the latter.

Guerrilla attacks by the Boers are still giving great trouble. Gen. French encountered continuous opposition in his march from Carolina to Bethel, his casualties numbering 26.

Lord Roberts is distributing a fresh circular to the effect that Boers voluntarily surrendering, who have never taken the oath of neutrality, will not be exiled, but will be permitted to return to their farms at the conclusion of hostilities.

The foreign office has heard directly from M. Pichon, French minister at Peking. He has been ill with typhoid fever, but is improving. He was never so ill as to be unable to oversee the affairs of the legation. It is believed he will be able to attend the sessions of the ministers in a week.

After the arrival of Lord Methuen at Zeeurust, there was a reconnaissance in force northward, which resulted in the discovery of large numbers of Boers, who were only dislodged after artillery and rifle fire lasting four hours. The British had 4 killed and 10 wounded. The Boers take shelter in farm houses, which are crowded with women and children.

The Transvaal agency announces that Mr. Kruger will arrive at Marseilles on the Dutch cruiser Gelderland Nov. 11 or Nov. 12. Mr. Kruger will proceed to The Hague without stopping at Paris, and after expressing his thanks to Queen Wilhelmina for Dutch hospitality on board the Gelderland, he will appeal to the powers to intervene in the South African settlement on the basis of article 3 of The Hague convention.

The revival of guerrilla warfare in South Africa has lighted up British sentiment in England, especially in smart society, which is divided into military cliques and factions. Lord Roberts' leniency is condemned by impatient partisans as a source of weakness in South Africa, and the opinion is expressed that a general as cold-blooded as Kitchener is needed to suppress the lawlessness now in progress. These critics make no secret of their discontent with Lord Roberts' methods of peace-making.

The government of Hong Kong has been informed that 4,000 villagers in the Santo Chuk Kwai-shin district were attacked by rebels at Pengkok. The villagers were defeated and 2,000 of them killed. The rebels, who lost 400 killed, burned two villages containing 3,000 houses. A force of 2,000 troops went to the assistance of the villagers and engaged the rebels on Oct. 22. No details of the result have been received. Gen. Ho with 2,000 troops has returned to Hong Kong, having burned the villages of Shan Chautin and Malantau.

Commodore Ledyard on the 25th assured the New York Yacht club that a new cup defender will be built to meet Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock II.

Natural gas in what is supposed to be paying quantities has been discovered along Pine creek, 35 miles southwest of Spokane, Wash. Already 15,000 acres of land has been leased by speculators.

The steamer City of Seattle, which arrived at Vancouver, B. C., on the 23d, with a case of smallpox on board, sailed the following day for the quarantine station at Williams Head, where she remained four days. It is expected more cases will develop.

The secret service bureau of the treasury department at Washington has discovered a new Indian head \$5 counterfeited. The note is of the series of 1879, check letter B, face plate No. 29, back plate No. 23, J. W. Lyons register and Ellis H. Roberts treasurer.

This is Tom Sharkey's offer to Gus Ruhlin: "I will bet the \$5,000 I have now up that I can defeat Ruhlin in six rounds either in Philadelphia or Chicago, or I will wager \$5,000 that I can beat him in 20 rounds before any responsible athletic club in the country."

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

New York—	Cattle	Sheep	Lambs	Hogs
Best grades	\$1 20/25	\$4 00	\$6 00	\$6 45
Lower grades	\$2 25/30	\$3 50	\$5 25	\$5 35
Chicago—				
Best grades	\$5 50/60	\$4 10	\$5 50	\$4 50
Lower grades	\$3 75/40	\$3 50	\$4 25	\$4 50
Detroit—				
Best grades	\$7 25/35	\$5 25	\$6 00	\$4 55
Lower grades	\$3 00/35	\$2 50	\$4 25	\$4 45
Buffalo—				
Best grades	\$4 00/45	\$4 25	\$5 50	\$5 00
Lower grades	\$3 00/35	\$3 00	\$4 15	\$4 50
Cincinnati—				
Best grades	\$4 00/55	\$4 00	\$5 25	\$4 85
Lower grades	\$3 25/45	\$3 50	\$4 75	\$4 50
Pittsburg—				
Best grades	\$5 25/65	\$4 25	\$5 50	\$5 00
Lower grades	\$2 25/35	\$2 25	\$3 00	\$3 25